



Grampound-with-Creed CofE School

Class plan - Y5/Y6 Cycle A



Stargazers

Science



Time Traveller

Art and design



Pharaohs

History



Blood Heart

Science



Hola Mexico!


Music














Frozen Kingdoms





Geography

Planned Term	Autumn Term 1	Summer Term 2	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Spring Term 1	Autumn Term 2
Suggested Text(s)	Northern Lights – Philip Pullman; Alone on a Wide, Wide Sea – Michael Morpurgo; Cosmic – Frank Cottrell Boyce	Tom's Midnight Garden – Philippa Pearce	Phoenix Code – Helen Moss	Pig Heart Boy – Malorie Blackman	Holes – Louis Sachar	The Wolf Wilder – Katherine Rundell
Memorable Experience	Visit an observatory or planetarium	Interview people of different generations	Mummification scene	Sheep's heart dissection	Mexican musical performance	Polar expedition. [Inuit] - Inuit art
Innovate Challenge	Rocket launch	Build a time machine!	Egyptian funeral preparations	Heart charity fundraiser	Festival procession	Discovering the Arctic. [Inuit] - My print

						
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English	Mnemonics; Myths and legends; Free verse poetry; Newspaper reports; Descriptions	Character studies; Adventure narratives; Leaflets; Free verse poetry; Quotations and poems	Chronological reports; Fact files; Research skills; Mystery stories; Play scripts	Non-chronological reports; Shape poetry; Slogans and adverts; Biographies; Narratives using personification	Invitations; Postcards; Instructions; Myths and legends; Poetry	Non-chronological reports; Haiku poetry; Newspaper reports; Adventure narratives
Geography	Locating physical features	Local community	Human and physical features of Egypt; The River Nile; Tourism		Maps; Human and physical geography of Mexico	Arctic and Antarctic regions; Lines of latitude and longitude; Polar climates; Polar day and night; Polar oceans; Polar landscapes; Climate change; Natural resources; Indigenous people; Tourism

     						
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Computing		Programming		Websites;		Online
		Stop motion animation		Flow diagrams		research;
		Digital portraits; Data logging; Research				Presentations
Art and Design		Printing; Design		Modelling and sculpture; Abstract art		[Inuit] - Printmaking; Carving
		Photography; Great artists – Andy Warhol, Salvador Dali; Collage		Drawing artefacts; Headwear; Hieroglyphic amulets		Sculpture; Maya art; Carving
Design and Technology		Selecting materials; Research; Structures; Evaluation		Tools and equipment; Recipes; Packaging; Working models		
		Selecting materials		Egyptian food; Making tombs and pyramids		Food of Mexico; Evaluating and making instruments
History		Significant individuals – Galileo Galilei, Isaac Newton; 1960s space race		Ancient Egypt		
		Changes over the last century				Ancient Maya civilisation
						Polar exploration; Significant people – Robert Falcon Scott; Ernest Shackleton; Significant events – Titanic

						
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Music	Music; Lyrics			Pulse; Raps	Mexican music; Musical notation	
Personal, Social and Health Education		Puberty; Meeting and talking with people; Reflecting on spiritual, moral, social and cultural issues; Setting targets; Feeling positive	Moral issues; Customs and beliefs; Role play	Harmful substances; Caring about others		

						
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Science	Earth and space; Forces; Working scientifically. [Why are zip-wires so fast?] - Science investigation: Forces. [How do rockets lift off?] - Science investigation: Properties and changes of materials. [How do levers help us?] - Science investigation: Forces. [How does the Moon move?] - Science investigation: Earth and space	Animals, including humans; Living things and their habitats; Working scientifically		Circulatory system; Measuring heart rate; Lifestyle effects; Working scientifically	Light and shadows	Classifying living things; Classification keys; Adaptation; Investigations [Why are things classified?] - Science investigation: Living things and their habitats